

PROGRESS OF CONVENTION

Proceedings at Annual Gathering of Farmers Followed With Keen Interest

J. R. BOYLE, M. P. P., SPEAKS

Referring to the Arrangements in regard to Relations of University and the Agricultural College

At the opening of yesterday afternoon's proceedings of the U. F. A. convention, an address was given by Mr. J. R. Boyle, M. P. P. for Sturgeon. This was the day of Co-operation, and if this association did not organize they did not keep in line with modern advancement. The manufacturers, the lumber people, the grain people, and even the lawyers were organizing. The farmers in Nanaimo and Saskatoon were more advanced in organization than in this province, and so exercised a good deal of influence upon legislation. Legislatures are the humble servants of the people of the province. Mr. Boyle believed that where agriculture occupies so much of the farmers are well organized the legislation would reflect their views. He came here to get some ideas as he represented an agricultural constituency, and liked to take his views from his constituents.

Mr. Boyle believed in the one-idea plan. Pull together and take one thing at a time. If things can be improved by legislation and administration, concentrate on one thing at a time. The questions being considered are grain and meat, so the market is kept as open as possible. He supported the proposal of \$5000 for the pork packing plant, but since had not heard much about it. It seemed that it was up to the government to go ahead and put this in practical shape. He thought the scheme should have been definitely worked out, but it was not fully discussed in the legislature, but only a general idea had been given of what was intended.

Mr. Boyle thought private ownership of elevators was not in the interests of producers. If elevators were owned as warehouses are by railroad companies it might be better. When dealers won't trust the carrying companies, we cannot blame the producers if they won't.

Agricultural College. In regard to this he was surprised to hear that the Agricultural College and University location rested with the old legislature. He had no objection to taking any responsibility if it comes his way. He thought, however, the government of a country was obliged to take responsibility, and he thought a government should be responsible for executive acts. He thought the government of the province was responsible for the Agricultural College as well as the University, and if the Agricultural College was to go under the University, the government should accept the responsibility.

The vote on the question was put through in 1907 in the ordinary way. It was not unusual to group estimates, and the Agricultural College grant might have been grouped with the University. It would not be unusual if it has been done so. Court houses and insane asylums might be grouped in an estimate, but it did not mean one should be governed by the other.

Grouping allows of elasticity. The question of amalgamation of the University with the Agricultural College had never been discussed, said Mr. Boyle. In the previous legislature he thought it would be discussed until brought up. The government of the day should bear the responsibility of the choice of sites, and the legislature should not interfere. But as the Agricultural College being adjacent to the University, controlled by

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GOVERNMENT TO FRAME BILL

Conference with Manitoba Grain Growers Over the Elevator Proposition

Winnipeg, Jan. 20.—As a result of a conference between ministers of the government and members of the executive of the Grain Growers' Association yesterday, the government will take immediate steps to frame a bill to be presented at the next session of the Legislature in regard to government ownership of elevators.

CAN'T RING CHIMES

Nervous Lady Gets Out Injunction Against St. James Church, Stratford

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 20.—Alleging nervous collapse, caused by the striking of the quarter hours, Catherine Jessie Fraser of Stratford obtained at Osgoode Hall an injunction against the wardens and incumbent of St. James' Episcopal Church restraining them from allowing the chime of bells in the clock steeple to ring between nine o'clock at night and seven in the morning. The clock was installed about a month ago. Prior to that time, according to affidavit filed by doctors and lawyers, Miss Fraser enjoyed good health.

AFTER STREET RAILWAY

Toronto Council will ask for Power to Expropriate the System

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Legislation will be asked for to give the city power to expropriate the street railway company. A resolution to this effect was made by Controller Church in the Board of Control yesterday morning and carried.

TO SUCCEED MR. BAKER

George McL. Brown Appointed European Agent of the C. P. R.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—Announcement was made yesterday at Canadian Pacific headquarters that George McL. Brown has been appointed European Manager of the Canadian Pacific, to succeed the late Archer Baker. Mr. Brown was formerly superintendent of the dining car service.

THE WORD PROVINCIAL

Calgary to be Able to Use It This Year in Connection with Exhibition

Sheriff Van Wart, president of the Calgary Exhibition, and E. L. Richardson, manager, interviewed the government yesterday with a request that Calgary be given the use of the word "provincial" in connection with the annual exhibition in that city.

After considering the question, the Cabinet held that as yet the Calgary exhibition grounds presented the only suitable place for a provincial exhibition, and accordingly gave Calgary the use of the term for the year 1910. No expression of opinion was given as to the use of the term "provincial" in future years. The date set for the exhibition for this year is July 4th to 9th.

The Edmonton Exhibition directors are making a bid for the use of the designated term in connection with the big exhibition in Edmonton in 1912, and so feel that the annual exhibition in this city should bear the title of "provincial."

MR. MACKENZIE HERE TODAY

President of C.N.R. Here Today Left Calgary for the Capital this Morning

Calgary, Jan. 20.—President Mackenzie of the C.N.R. left for Edmonton this morning.

UNIONISTS HAVE A NET GAIN OF 58 SEATS

With 370 Members Out of 670 Elected to the Next House of Commons

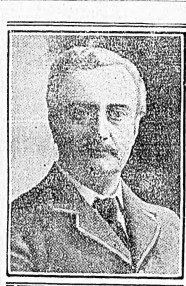
YESTERDAY'S RETURNS COMING IN

William O'Brien Reads the Poll in Cork as the Candidate of the Anti-Redmond Element in the Irish Party—Mr. Asquith Quotes Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Statement at Inter-Imperial Conference—Mr. Lloyd-George's Confident Tone

London, Jan. 20.—Complete returns from 370 constituencies in the British general elections received up to tonight show the following results: Government coalition, Liberals 133, Irish Nationalists 53, Laborites 26, total 212. Opposition, Unionists, 158. Present government majority, 54.

The Net Gain. London, Jan. 20.—With returns from yesterday's voting now available, the Unionists have a net gain of 58 seats.

J. Keir Hardie and Edgar Jones, respectively, the Labor and Liberal candidates for Merthyr-Tydvil, were elected by enormous majorities, and the political color of the constituencies is unchanged.



JOHN REDMOND.

Whose prestige as leader of the Irish party will be affected by the return of Mr. William O'Brien as member for Cork, yesterday, as an anti-Redmond candidate.

London, Jan. 20.—The feature of yesterday's known returns in the general elections for members of parliament was the election of Wm. O'Brien, Independent Nationalist for Cork city, at the head of the polls. Augustine Roche, Nationalist, from same district was also re-elected. The net result is the winning of one seat for the anti-Redmondites, many of whom are contesting elections in Ireland.

Asquith Speaks. Mr. Asquith, speaking at East Fife last night, deprecated the importation into a domestic constitutional parliamentary struggle of the opinion of foreign countries. It was a novelty dangerous and objectionable in character. "It is still less legitimate to import the supposed opinion of the colonies," he continued. "We are agreed in our affection for the colonies, in our desire in every way compatible with the interests of the people of this country and Empire to cement the fabric, to tighten the bond, deepen the common sense of attachment and loyalty and affection of the colonies. Wise, prudent, far-sighted statesmen who govern their destinies would be the first to deprecate any kind of pressure that should appear to be exercised by them on the free judgment of the people of this country." (Cheers). Mr. Asquith stated that to say he remembered well at the Colonial Conference the premier of the great self-governing dominion saying when discussing the question of trade preference that if he thought the granting of a preference would lead to any increase in the living of the poor he would be the last person to advocate it.

Lloyd-George at Conway. Mr. Lloyd-George at Conway said: "At the present moment the Liberals have a majority of votes which is quite in proportion to anything we ever got in the matter of seats. Therefore we feel that our majority rests on a firm footing and unless I am mistaken it is going to be a bigger majority than the Tories got in the Khaki election in 1906. (Cheers). As that was powerful enough to do a lot of mischief, we shall be able to prove that our majority will be potent enough to do a lot of good." Continuing, he said he believed the country had probably heard the end of protection for a generation. The Liberal professions, consistent with the results of yesterday's pollings as far as known and have full hope for a majority, independent of the Irishmen.

The Scotch Vote. There is need for some Unionist gains in Scotland to offset possible losses in Wicksburgs, Ayrburgs, and other places held by small majorities. The Unionists have no hope that Scotland will show more than a change of three or four seats in their favor, and today's pollings will show whether this modest expectation is to be fulfilled.

The Situation to Date. The Unionists estimate that a net gain of forty seats in three days' polling ensures their party one hundred seats more in the new parliament than it held in the old, or 268 out of 670. Against this gain Mr. Asquith cannot possibly hold power with a majority independent of the Nationalists. The Liberals argue that the budget is more popular in the counties than in the boroughs. The figures from yesterday's fighting will show whether Mr. Asquith goes back with a majority big enough to keep him in power four years, or small enough to expect a short reign.



T. P. O'CONNOR.

Who carried the Scotland division of Liverpool, as a Nationalist, by increased majority.

pose the government to constant danger at the hands of the Lords or Nationalists.

The Unionists insist that the boroughs have not been stampeded by the outcry against the Lords and that there is no ground for Liberals to expect that counties will do anything better.

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GREAT INFLUX LOOKED FOR

At Immigration Hall—The Settlement of Negroes at Lobstick Lake

Five carloads of settlers' effects, horses, mules, etc., are due to arrive from Oklahoma for the colored people at present housed at the Immigration Hall. On the arrival of their goods the colored people to the number of about thirty will leave for Lobstick Lake, where they will take up homesteads. There is said to be a colony of 125 negroes at Lobstick. All are in prosperous circumstances as in the three years since the colony was established none have asked for government aid. The new arrivals are said to have a good grub-stake to begin life on Alberta farms.

W. J. Webster, immigration officer, stated to The Capital this morning that indications point to the hall being filled to capacity as soon as spring opens. Americans who have been out prospecting have gone back to their home States to report on the country, and bring immigrants back with them. Mr. Webster looked for a great influx from Michigan, Missouri and Minnesota. He said European immigration would set in by the first of April.

QUIET DAY IN THE HOUSE.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—The introduction of government bills, including Mr. Oliver's immigration bill, the most important feature of which is provision for the exclusion of undesirable emigrants from the United States, the answering of questions both formal and informal and the continuation of the budget debate occupied the attention of the House during a short Wednesday sitting. It was private members' day, but as members were not ready to proceed with their motions the government business in the form of the budget was taken up, the only speakers being Oliver Wilcox, Conservative, and W. S. Loggie, Liberal. A number of bills of secondary importance were advanced a stage.

To Mr. Foster, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that order-in-council had been passed on November 22nd last authorizing the purchase of a war vessel from the British Admiralty for fish protection on the Pacific.

Replying to Mr. Foster, Mr. Oliver said that there had been 3,030 certificates for South African veterans issued, regarding land claims.

FROM DAY TO DAY

WHAT'S ON TONIGHT.

Empire Theatre.—"Lady Huntworth's Experiment."
Thistle Night—City League Hockey matches at 8 o'clock and 9:15 o'clock. Starland—Moving pictures.
Separate School Hall—Civic banquets to United Farmers of Alberta. School Board Rooms.—Regular monthly meeting of Board.

THE WEATHER.

Reports from various points throughout the west about the weather January 20th:

	High	Low
Kamloops, clear	34	28
Edmonton, clear	28	16
Calgary, fair	30	2
Medicine Hat, clear	30	2
Battleford, clear	24	-4
Prince Albert, clear	24	0
Swift Current, clear	28	10
Moose Jaw, clear	30	1
Regina, clear	22	-3
Qu'Appelle, clear	30	6
Minneapolis, clear	30	12
Winnipeg, cloudy	32	18
Port Arthur, cloudy	32	18

The weather has been mostly fine and quite mild during the day, but has turned colder during the night in northern districts.

Forecast—Manitoba and Saskatchewan: Fine today and Friday cold but not very low temperature. Alberta: Fine today and Friday with higher temperature.

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BANQUET OF THE EXCHANGE

A Very Enjoyable Affair—Prospects for a Year of Peace and Prosperity are Excellent

What was appropriately termed the christening of the Edmonton Builders' Exchange was held in Lewis' Cafe last evening with over two hundred members and guests in attendance. Around the same banqueting board sat contractors, architects and representatives of the trade unions of the city with the most amicable feeling prevailing. The banquet marked a very propitious year for 1910, with plenty of work for the building trades and freedom from strikes and labor entanglements which have not been altogether unknown in the past.

President C. C. Batson sketched the development of the Builders' Exchange. Five years ago organization was effected and recently Strathcona contractors had been added to membership. At first twenty members were on the roll, but now the number is nearly 500. Each trade had taken care of business as it effected them particularly. There were seven in all and each was represented on the board of control. The new rooms of the Exchange in McMillan Court were joint offices for clients, architects and contractors. Plans for new buildings were now sent to the secretary of the exchange and were available for all. Mr. Batson said he was gratified to see the good understanding between the building trades and the employees. It precluded any reasonable cause of disagreement for this year. As for the members of the Exchange, there was competitive rivalry between them, but a feeling of good fellowship at all times prevailed.

Among the number of excellent toasts were: "The Province of Alberta," proposed by Vice-President T. M. Gindley and responded to by J. Chalmers, government engineer; "The City of Edmonton," proposed by A. Patterson and ably responded to by Ald. Armstrong and J. A. Latourneil; "The Architects of Edmonton and Strathcona," proposed by G. W. Boughton and coupled with the names of Messrs. Henderson, Wise, Wilson and Wittington. Ald. J. H. Millar proposed a toast to "Labor Unions," saying, amid great applause, that perfect harmony exists between the contractors and labor unions in Edmonton. The toast was responded to by Mr. Blake, representative of the Bricklayers' Union. He said that workingmen have come to see that strikes are equally as harmful to them as to the employers.

J. C. Dowsett, as president of the Board of Trade, complimented the builders and their organization and said it would grow to be the most important of the commercial and business interests of the city. Other toasts were to "The Press," "The Ladies" and "Mine Host Lewis," whose Liberal hospitality left nothing to be desired.

LLOYDMINSTER TO FORE

Wants That Town Made Terminus of C. N. R. Branch Line

A large deputation of settlers from the Lloydminster district, headed by John Campbell of Marwayne, waited on the government at the parliament buildings this morning to urge that the projected C.N.R. road from Vermilion to Bruderheim be given a veritable making Lloydminster the eastern terminus of the branch. By making this change it was claimed that a large and well settled country would be supplied with much-needed railway facilities. The government promised to give the matter serious consideration and to lay the request before the C. N. R. authorities.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 20, 1910.

MRS. MURPHY'S SUGGESTION

Mrs. Arthur Murphy, the president of the Women's Hospital Aid, made a proposal of very considerable importance in her address to the members of that body on Monday, which was reported in full in the Capital the next day. Mrs. Murphy wishes the present city hospital to become such in more than name. She would like to see it under direct municipal management instead of having the responsibility devolve upon those citizens who happen to be charitably disposed. As all who read the address will admit, Mrs. Murphy put up a very strong case. But the change is not one that should be made without considerable investigation. Dr. Bruce-Smith, inspector of hospitals for Ontario, a man whose opinion must carry a little weight, discussed the subject at the meeting of the Canadian Medical Association in Winnipeg last year and part of what he said has a very direct bearing on the suggestion made by Mrs. Murphy.

"When a town or city," he declared, "contemplates the establishment of a hospital, my first advice is to make sure that class parison or sectional feeling of any kind is kept separate and complete. Ward politics are decidedly incompatible with hospital management. The contrast between municipal hospitals and those institutions which are controlled and directed by local boards is most marked. Fortunately in this country we have not had the experience which has been so expensive in some of the American cities during the past year. There are only two or three which might be termed municipal hospitals in Ontario. Where these are located there is an absence of the hospital spirit among the people of the community. Local philanthropy is never exerted for the benefit of the hospital. It would, indeed, be a surprise for such a hospital to receive a contribution or become the object of a bequest. Not only is the hospital deprived of the contributions and sympathy of the people of the community, but the greater privilege of giving is kept from those who would otherwise find comfort and delight in practical benevolence. There are one or two places in Ontario where the people would as soon think of making a donation to the city hall or street railway as to the local hospital under municipal control and management. There is no room in Canada for more hospitals solely under municipal control. The ideal plan is, as so largely prevails in this province, local management under the direction of those who are actuated by a spirit of philanthropy, coupled with civic pride, and are willing to administer the important trust committed to their care. These boards, however, deserve and must receive liberal municipal support. The municipal act of Ontario gives power to vote an annual grant each year for hospital support. Every city, town, village, township, and county council can exercise that power. Some of the municipalities make liberal grants towards the support of the hospitals in their midst. Unfortunately, there are many that will not take advantage of the power they possess to vote hospital grants. Some municipalities decline to contribute anything towards paying for the hospital care and treatment their indigent patients receive. The time has come when municipalities should be awakened to a sense of the duty they owe to the local hospitals who care for their sick poor. A statutory amendment might with great advantage be introduced giving hospital boards the power to collect from a municipality the actual cost of maintenance of a patient who is unable to pay for what the hospital has afforded during his illness. The Municipal Act of Ontario now gives the power for the municipality to make the grant; why not give hospitals the power to collect what the municipality owes for the care of its indigents?"

If Dr. Smith's suggestion were adopted, it would force the municipality to grant such support to the hospital as was necessary, in addition to what was received from paying patients, to keep it going. This places the responsibility of maintenance on the municipality without any direct control of the institution or the manner in which its funds are to be spent. Such an arrangement seems hardly proper or feasible. Either we have to treat the maintenance of the hospital as a regular function of a municipality or leave it to voluntary effort on the part of the citizens.

While under the latter system there are free-will grants made by individuals which would probably be lacking, as Dr. Smith points out, in case the institution were municipalized, there are great disadvantages to offset this. It is necessary to resort to all kinds of schemes for raising money, which are a source of mortification to the community. The funds that are thus obtained are seldom given willingly. Requests are made upon people which they can ill afford to accede to. If direct begging is resorted to, the work is distasteful to those who undertake it. If a hospital fair or other form of entertainment is held, there is but little profit in proportion to the money and time that are expended on it. A hospital is an absolute need. Why then, it may fairly be asked, should it be left to citizens to support, or not as they feel disposed? But this article is written not so much to express any particular view as to invite discussion. The Capital would like to have the subject taken up by those whose experience in hospital administration makes their opinion valuable and will accordingly welcome any contribution to its columns on the subject.

Every time that a press bureau gets short of copy it announces the death of King Menelik of Abyssinia. The sad news came over the wire this week. But that will not prevent his august majesty from taking a round or so out of one of his neighbor potentates next week.

What Others Say

A PROSE POEM

(Montreal Herald)

I love to sit at home and read the papers every night, and follow all the details of the great Election Fight, in which we're told the party men are settling up a pace that sends the poor old Empire oscillating to its base. I love to hear the harmony that pulses off the foam, and tell us how they always run Election Fights at home. I love to hear the dignity with which they're all endowed, who try to catch the ballons of the British multitude. I'd heard about it oft before, but never realized the fullness of its beauty, and I own I am surprised. The stately style of British politicians is grand; it shows us up completely in this poor-blighted land. 'Tis sweet to hear the Honeyed Words, that softly, sweetly flow, from Balfour's or from Lansdowne's lips about Lloyd-George and Co., or, vice-versa, sweet it is to hear the dulcet chords arising from the lambent lyre in honor of the Lords. Oh, what a lesson we might learn from leaders such as they, to run our own election in a gentlemanly way. How fine to hear Sir Wilfrid in a tone of tragic fire, declaring that Mr. Borden was a most Outrageous Liar, or George Foster take the stump and eloquently state, that Fielding couldn't figure out a beer-bill on a slate, or Monk proclaim in accents loud that Graham didn't know, the difference 'twixt a railroad and a Punch-and-Judy show! How beautiful and peaceful then our politics would be, and Grit and Tory smoke the pipe of peace from sea to sea; but somehow I am much afraid that most of us will not, accept the British Method, as much better than we've got.

BRUCE.

A POSSIBILITY

(Regina Standard)

Recalling our experience, with Sir Richard Cartwright, James McMullen, et al., it would not surprise us in the least, if Lloyd-George should become members of the House of Lords.

CANADA'S PART IN THE FIGHT

(Collier's Weekly)

Canada has six votes in the right-of-man budget fight. Here, as Nick Bottom would say, is the scroll of their names, and the parts they are to play.

Conservatives

Sir Gilbert Parker, author, most eloquent of England has almost bleached

the Canadian color out of him; eye-glances; favors an imperialist; vermin to protect the British race. Donald McMaster, K.C., lawyer; had political experience in Canada; took lessons from John A. Macdonald and so had nothing left to learn; Privy Council case drew him to England and kept him there; a strength to any party; running in Chertsey.

Donar Law, business man; born in New Brunswick, but long enough away to be quite forgotten; more English now than Canadian; seeking re-election in Dulwich.

J. Hamilton Bess, formerly of Onebe; has faded from recollection; one of our faintly native sons in England who appear once a year at the Dominion Day banquet in London, and prove that they are Canadians; running in Greenwich.

Liberals

Joseph Martin, lawyer; Joseph's coat was of many colors in Canada, but mostly Liberal; a thorn in the side of three Canadian Legislatures; went to England lately to spend a quiet old age; but jumped into politics as an old firehorse, at the sound of the alarm, ran away with the milk-cart; the constituency of William Shakespeare turned this Bonhamite Paradox down, now running in St. Pancras division, London.

Hamar Greenwood, lawyer; self-made man; actor, and temperance orator in Canada, politician in Great Britain; fine presence; his face shall his fortune and his eloquence the obituary; the successor, as he says, of Julius Caesar in the ancient country of Eborac; has remained a good Canadian; and is oftentimes mentioned by the home papers as the one Canada is proud of; seeking re-election in York.

THE CALGARY OF THE G. T. P.

Clipping from the Winnipeg Press of January 1, 1910:

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 1.—Another town destined soon to be a city is put upon the market by the Grand Trunk Pacific Townsite Company. The name of the place is Edson. It is so called to perpetuate the memory of the new manager Edson J. Chamberlain. It is 922 miles west of Winnipeg and is the last divisional point before the railway enters the mountains. The prairie division of the Grand Trunk Pacific starts at Winnipeg and ends at Edson, consequently it is "the Calgary" of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway system. It is situated at the junction of the Macleod and Wolf rivers, about 120 miles west of Edmonton.

As all know the history of Calgary, it may presage the future history of Edson, except that it is expected the growth of Edson in the future will be double that of Calgary in the past. Adjacent to Edson are coal measures, good agricultural land timber limits and the Macleod river assures the town of plenty of pure, clear mountain water. Some far-seeing people are predicting that it will rival if not outstrip Edmonton, but if it does Edmonton has a district of its own, being the head-quarters for the great northern traffic to Fort McMurray and vicinity; from Edson it is expected railways will be built to the Peace river country lying immediately to the north and also to Calgary, the latter of which branches will traverse the great agricultural country along the foothills to the Rocky mountains and west of Red Deer.

The end of the steel is 60 miles away to the east awaiting the completion of the bridge over the Pembina, which is expected to be finished by the end of the year, when steel will be laid on the grade which is completed, right through to the Macleod river. Edson is west of the Macleod river, and two bridges are being built, one to cross the Wolf river, and the other the Macleod. Charles May and Co.,

of Edmonton, are now putting in the concrete foundations and it is expected that both bridges will run into Edson.

In the meantime there is a striving and struggling amongst business and financial firms to secure business sites at Edson. A few weeks ago, the Grand Trunk Pacific put 1,800 lots on the market and so eager has been the demand that many applications had to be returned. In other words, the town has been largely over-subscribed. And not without reason. Buyers of lots in the other divisional points of the Grand Trunk Pacific are well pleased with the results of their investigations at Melville, Watrous, Wainwright and other places, and now they are eager for Edson property, as they think it will outstrip any of the others, and are showing their confidence by securing all the property offering.

Elevators and Sacking Plant

Editor Capital.

Sir:—

We must have terminal elevators on the Pacific Coast. The sacking plant will not answer for the western Canadian grain trade as it does for the U. S. coast grain markets, for there they bag in the field and the bags are the farmer's granary. So all the one he has on his farm or at least very likely to be. The grain is marketed and shipped in the same bags, all this brought about by the climatic conditions under which the harvesting is done, the bags becoming a necessity and cheapening their method of harvesting, is the main reason for it being bagged. This is quite a different proposition to the western Canadian grain trade, where the farmer has to just pay for the bags for the express purpose of putting grain in to ship, after it has paid for granaries, elevators, and is an altogether different system of harvesting and marketing from that of the western coast states.

This is made necessary by the altogether different climate the operations are carried on under. I have seen the grain bags lying scattered all over the field in that country, where the combined harvesters dropped them and they lay there for months and then are picked up and sold to be burned in just as good condition as they were dropped there. The harvesting in the U. S. is all done by headers and mostly combines threshing as the grain is cut. Grain and straw get perfectly dry there, quite a different proposition here. They bag from an economic standpoint, here if we bag the expense is added upon a more costly method, just for the sake of loading it on the ship.

Under the circumstances in which we are placed the sacking will always be an unnecessary expense, as well as unsatisfactory in other ways. We have all the other equipment for handling our grain for the western markets except the terminal elevators, and we must have them from some source, government if possible, and I sincerely hope the government will see the need of such action and move in this matter at an early date. If the shipping interests are not prepared to transport grain in bulk at present they will soon come to it when once the elevators are ready to operate.

The public almost to a unit is in favor of such a move and the sacking will be very strong if the matter is taken up by either provincial or Dominion governments.

D. W. WARNER.

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MORE SEDITION IN INDIA

Calcutta, India, Jan. 18.—Sedition has been created by the arrest of ten men of the Tenth Jais regiment, charged with sedition. It is believed the conspiracy is not widespread, but the regiment will be immediately transferred to another station. The tenth Jais was recently the tenth Bengal Infantry.

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Golden Oak Arm Rockers.....	2.75
Bed, Brass Knobs, Best Make.....	
Spring, Dominion Weave, Iron Frame.....	Complete 10.90
Mattress, Wool Fibre, Wool Two Sides.....	
Good Opaque Window Shades on Hartshorne Rollers.....	.45

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A REVIVAL OF WRESTLING

Bob Chelsea, the "Saxon Demon" will hold a tournament in this city on Jan. 26th and 27th—There will be many entries

Wrestling, a splendid branch of sport, which has been dormant for a long time in Edmonton, is promised a speedy revival.

The sporting editor was visited by two husky gentlemen today, who introduced themselves as Bob Chelsea, the "Saxon Demon" of Minneapolis, Minn., and Joe Graham, of Saskatoon.

It is their intention to hold an immense wrestling tournament in this city on January 26th and 27th. The opera house has been rented for the occasion and a ring will be fixed up on the stage which will assure a good view for everybody in the house.

This tournament is being held for the purpose of establishing champions for the three classes, heavy, welter and light weight. These champions being determined, they shall have the opportunity of challenging in the city, Chelsea, in the heavy-weight class, or Joe Graham in the light weight, for a side bet or a purse. Chelsea has with him backing up to \$1,000.

As an extra inducement Mr. Chelsea will make an offer of \$25, to any man who enters in the tournament or in the audience, whom he cannot throw in 15 minutes.

There are some mighty class wrestlers in the province and Mr. Chelsea has received assurances from a number of them that they will be here on the 26th and 27th. There are the local cracker, Kenny Blatchford and Chas. Stutter. Calgary has Bob Lander, a brother of the pugilist. In Lacombe Alec Bodie and Bert Archer are now men of reputation, while Stettler has Gus Collins. Vainwright boasts an "Unknown," who promises to make things interesting in his class. Cardston has two undefeated men in John Collier and Jack Ellison and also a man named Jensen, who is reckoned some wrestler. Young Holmes, the amateur champion light weight of Alberta, who home town is Calgary, informs Mr. Chelsea that he is thinking very seriously of entering the tournament. Huber, of Edmonton, will also enter for certain.

Anybody desiring to enter the tournament or wishing any information on the subject can find Mr. Chelsea at the Senate House, where he will be glad to answer any enquiries and give out entry blanks. Don't forget the dates, January 27th and 28th.

Despatches from London state that the English Marathon record created by Charles Gardner, the English professional runner, against Dorando Pietri, held at Albert Hall, London, will not stand, as it is now recognized that the men did not run the full distance.

George Bonhag, who is to meet Jack Tait in a special three mile race at Buffalo, on January 29, holds the American indoor three mile record of 14:24.45. When Tait beat Galbraith at the Riverside Rink last March the time was 14:58.

A CURIOUS EXPERIENCE

Edmonton Hockey Team are Suspected of Being From Hamilton—Yellow and Black Ribbons Cause the Trouble

J. G. Wegenast, of this city, who is an uncle of Harold Deaton, of the Edmonton hockey team, Stanley Cup challengers, received a letter from his nephew this morning in which the latter expressed extreme confidence that the western team would carry off the Stanley Cup. The Edmonton colors are yellow and black, and in his letter Deaton says: "We are flying out yellow and black, and the fans think we are Tigers, but then we didn't mind being classed with the Hamilton bunch." Deaton is supreme court clerk for the Manitoba government and like the rest of the team, the trip is not one for financial gain. Deaton expects to visit Hamilton on his return from Ottawa. He is a Berlin boy—Hamilton Spectator.

IS JACK JOHNSON A WRECK?

Will Tom Flanagan or some other celebrity kindly decide whether or not Jack Johnson is a "fiscal" wreck. A recent test made by a Harvard professor, who decided that the colored man was far from a well woman, and now along comes another eminent college coach declaring Johnson to be in the pink. Hadn't these alleged experts better take a rest? Johnson will doubtless demonstrate whether he is fit somewhere around July Four.—Toronto Telegram.

ZBYSCO ON THE WAR PATH

This is Not a New Breakfast Food but a Real Live "Rassler"

Buffalo, Jan. 18.—With Kid Cutler's scalp added to the others he has annexed during the past few weeks, Zbyesco, the Polish wrestler, will now head towards Buffalo, where his next big match will be the best two in three finish affair with Raoul de Rouen, the big Frenchman, at the Broadway Arsenal, next Tuesday night. That de Rouen is not to be caught napping in the matter of condition was shown on Monday night in Chicago, while Zbyesco was beating Cutler, de Rouen was annexing a bit of glory for himself at the same show. De Rouen went on with Leo Pardello, the fighting Italian champion, and took two straight falls inside of forty minutes in a holy contested bout.

Rector beat out Kerr for second place in the London 100 metre race, and Bobby will have to go some to show his heels to the Missourian at the Irish meet at New York, even though the Yankee has been out of the game for a year or more.

"AFTER THE GAME WAS OVER"

Aftermath of Tuesday Night's Struggle in Ottawa—There is an Outside Chance of Victory This Evening

(Special to The Capital)

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 19.—Conditions best us. We actually outplayed Ottawa, entirely in the first half though the score was 4-3 against us. Our boys had puck in Ottawa's territory two thirds of the time. But Lesauve was a stone wall in the nets. He certainly is a wonder, the best in the business. Winchester played a great game himself, and it was his work in the second half that kept the score down. Ottawa completely outplayed us in this half, they had the staying qualities and we had not. It looks to me that we secured early dates last season and caught Ottawa team out of condition, we would have given them a beautiful trimming. The two physicals are a standoff, if given the same physical condition. Colder weather to today and fast ice may help our team next game. Whiccroft was the star performer of Tuesday's game.

(Signed) DEACON WHITE.

James Rector, the former University of Virginia flyer, who ran second to Reginald Walker, of South Africa, in the 100 metre event at the London Olympic, will soon make his reappearance on the cinder path under the colors of the Missouri A. C., of St. Louis.

DEACONS HAD GOOD TIME

Were Royally Treated in Calgary and Promise to Return the Hospitality When St. Marys Come Here

Sporting Edit. Daily Capital.—Arrived in Calgary on Tuesday afternoon and were conducted to the Royal Hotel by the officials of the St. Mary's Club. After a light lunch we went to Sherman's Rink and at 8:30 were on the ice, which B very soft. Play started at 8:45 and from start to finish the game was clean and exceptionally fast. All who witnessed the encounter admitted that it was one of the finest exhibitions of hockey ever seen in Calgary, and I would say that one could not wish to attend a faster game. From the rink we went to Cronin's Cafe where a very sumptuous banquet was tendered us. From the cafe we were taken to the Alberta Club by Mr. Joe Moir, president of the Calgary Hockey League.

To say that we had a good time would be using very mild terms. Each and every one of us had a royal good time. And we hope to be able to go to that city in the near future. For we are sure that a finer and better lunch of sports never got together with the St. Mary's Hockey Team and the gentlemen who entertained us so lavishly.

The only regret we have is that we could not make a longer stay in the northern metropolis.

"THE DEACONS."

Art Burns, of Calgary, who was beaten by Marsh at Vancouver recently, is still at it. He has arranged two races with Frank Baylis, of Vancouver, to be run there this month.

Levi Jamieson, an Indian from Oshkosh, is attracting considerable attention by his running ability. Although untrained he has shown class at distances ranging from 5 to 15 miles.

The pacing of skaters by motor cycles has become a popular diversion in the states. A "Canadian Amateur," paced by a motor cycle on the Shrewsbury river in New Jersey, did two miles recently in 3:23.

TRIED TO RUN 100 MILES

C. W. Hart Tries to Achieve a Century but Gets Strangely Tired When 28th Mile is Reached

C. W. Hart, the well-known English distance runner, recently at the Crystal Palace, undertook to wipe out the world's 100 miles running record of 13 hours 26 minutes 22 seconds, made by the late Charles Rowell, of New York on Feb. 27th, 1882. He also had the intention of putting up a 100 mile non-stop record. Hart fell behind the Cambridge runner's schedule from the start. When he had travelled 17 miles he had a very bad time, and although he pulled himself round, and from the twentieth to twenty-five miles was running as strong as ever, he later fell away again. He had covered 27 miles and about 400 yards, which had taken 3 hours 58 minutes 22 seconds, when he completely collapsed on the side of the track. It was found that he was suffering from vertigo, and of course, it was impossible for him to proceed farther. It is worthy of mention that the precautions taken by Hart to prevent damage to his feet, had the desired effect, for, on examination, they were found to be entirely free from blistering.

In previous long distance runs he has shown himself to be capable of covering nearly 100 miles, as he did 92 miles in 1903 at Clapham Baths on a small track. He has also many other long-standing feats to his credit. On these occasions he has always appeared to be in much better trim than in the case under notice.

TIM HURST ONCE AGAIN

The 1001th Story of This Comedian of the Baseball Diamond—A Sad Tale This Time

Says Tim Hurst, the celebrated umpire. I have been asked to tell of the hardest decision that I ever made. The most important, I think, occurred several years ago and during a game between Cleveland and Baltimore at Cleveland. It was the ninth inning, and the score was tied. Childs was on second base for Cleveland, with but one out, and Pat Tebeau was at the bat. Hoffer was pitching for Baltimore and Robinson was catching. Finally, when Childs reached second, Tebeau, saw an outcurve coming and ran ten feet out of the box to hit it. He met the ball squarely before it "broke" and drove it to centerfield for two bases. Childs easily scored, making the game 3 to 2 in favor of Cleveland.

The crowd was whooping and yelling over the victory. Robinson ran up to me and called my attention to the fact that Tebeau had run out of the batter's box. I knew he was right and during the tumult I called Tebeau and sent Childs back to second. The crowd was absolutely stunned.

Tebeau was running in from second, and tears were streaming down his face. "You are not going to call me out for that?" he said. "Well, Patsy," I replied, "you know that you stepped out of the box, and you are only getting what is coming to you."

Well, I might have stepped out a few feet," he wailed, "but you ought not to give a decision like that in the presence of this home crowd."

That tied up the game and it went along until the twelfth inning, when Baltimore won. You can imagine that I was a very popular guy in Cleveland that night. But just to show you how they forget those things, when I went back there as an umpire in the American League, I was given a great ovation.

You are in luck if you need new clothes now. See Mac.

CITY LEAGUE GAMES TONIGHT

Two Stirring Contests will Take Place at Thistle Rink—Morris vs. Y.M.C.A.—Deacons vs. Queens

There will be two excellent contests this evening at the Thistle Rink which will be well worth taking in. The first game starts at eight o'clock sharp and the second at 9:15.

First Game Lineup.

MORRIS	Y.M.C.A.
Goal	Wright
Point	McCrinmon
Lines	Chowne
Fraser	Rover
Gordon	Douglas
Centre	Clark
Bolander	Blayne
Left	Blayne
Scott	Burns
Right	Greenwood
Waugh	McDonald

Second Game

DEACONS	QUEENS
Goal	Blayne
Point	McDonald
B. Banford	McDonald
Cover	Hawe
Aldous	Rover
McGannon	Banford
Centre	McDonald
C. McKenney	Left
Gauvrau	Right
B. Banford	McLaeas

WHAT CALGARY PAPERS SAY

About the Deacons-St. Marys Game in That City Last Tuesday

Soft ice marred the game between the Edmonton Deacons and the Calgary St. Mary's at the Auditorium Rink last night, and although the Calgarians doubled the score on the Deacons and won by four goals to two, the game could not be called a good one. The game was well attended, the rink being filled.

Alex. McHugh, the speedy captain of the Saints, started the scoring putting in a hot shot from a scrimmage in front of the Edmonton goal three minutes after the puck had been put into play.

The Deacons were surprised, but came back well and for a time peppered Tansey but without results. Walton relieved the situation and again carried the rubber to the Deacon end, where Sparrow succeeded in getting past Allan, bringing the score to 2-0 for the Saints.

For a time it looked as if the Deacons would not be able to get past Tansey, who were playing a splendid game, but finally W. Banford scored for the visitors after the puck had been brought down the ice by pretty and effective combination work.

With the score standing 2-1, the Saints lived up considerably and Walton scored again, bringing the score up to 3-1 for the St. Mary's.

All these goals were scored in the first fifteen minutes of play, and although both teams played hard from then until half time, they were unable to score again, and the bell rang with the puck in the Deacons' territory.

In the second half the play was more hurried, and on several occasions the Deacons brought the puck down for a shot, only to be stopped by Walton and Tansey, who were both in fine shape.

Only two more games were made, the first by the visitors by a shot from G. Banford, and the last by McKenzie, making the score 4 to 2.

The lineup: St. Mary's—Goal, Tansey; point, Walton; cover-point, Walper; rover, McHugh; centre, McKenzie; right, Sparrow; left, Green.

Deacons—Goal, Allan; point, W. Banford; rover, Aldous; rover, McGannon; centre, Gauvrau; right, G.

JACK WINCHESTER FOR SHAMROCKS

Our Goal-Keeper Gets an Offer From the Irish Team—Also One From Renfrew

Special to The Capital.

Ottawa, Jan. 19.—There is certainly no advance hope on the hockey calendar in Ottawa at present that in any way tends to enliven the shrewdest of experts in picking the winning team tonight. Renowned prophets are in a quandary and fans wondering. The gruelling contest in the first game was only a taste for the hockey westerners, for at the Russell House today Edmonton's crack team are all in good shape, quietly resting and smiling confidently. In Ottawa's camp it is a somewhat different story, no frisky predictions of easy victory are heard, they are none too sanguine. Not only are the team in fear and trembling but hockey players of world-wide fame express doubts of Ottawa's ability to trim the prairie cup hunters in the second game.

Edmonton proved a great surprise. Not since the days of Tom Phillips with the Thistles of Keenora has Eastern hockey lovers seen such a strong aggregation. Four goals is a big lead to overcome, but only an apparent advantage for Ottawa if the ice is keen. The weather is slightly colder but the ice not extra hard. It is understood Ottawa will set a terrible pace from start and try to increase lead. There is no truth in the rumor that Walter Miller will replace Boulton. The same Edmonton septette that went on the ice Tuesday will appear tonight. Jack Winchester has a big offer from the Shamrocks. There is a rumor that Renfrew is after him to replace Lindsay in the nets.

WITH BESOM AND STANE

Last Night's Results Among Twin City Curlers

At the Granite.

There were three games played last evening in the Edmonton Brewing and Malting Cup competition, resulting as follows: A. E. Moore 18; M. McCauley 9. J. Rae 13; D. Galbraith 11. J. Dower 12; A. W. Ormsby 6.

The game in the semi-final of the Alberta Lumber Co. trophy between A. M. Scott and Geo. Renner resulted in a win for Scott by three points. Following is the score by ends: Scott02401000311—10 Renner100102111000—7

On Thursday the usual draws will be postponed and the members are requested to turn out, all those who can at seven o'clock, and play points.

At the Capital City.

There were only two games played on the Capital ice last evening. A. C. Fraser 15; H. M. Martin 4. H. E. Pearson 9; G. B. Henwood 10. The Henwood-Pearson game was very closely contested and resulted in a tie on the twelfth end, necessitating an extra end. In this end Henwood won the game with his last rock, amid considerable excitement from the spectators.

Geneva, Jan. 11.—England won the hockey championship of Europe. The Canadians, who did not compete in the championship, won all the games they played, but did not meet England, as several of their men were hurt.

The Canadian team mentioned in the cable is probably composed of Oxford and Cambridge men from Canada.

Barford; left, McKenny.

After the game the St. Mary's team entertained the visitors at a banquet at Cronin's Cafe. Mr. Steve Clancy, president of the St. Mary's, acted as chairman, and representatives of all the teams in the city league and the press were present, with a number of supporters of the St. Mary's and Deacons.

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THE U. F. A.

CONVENTION

The Alberta Homestead this week says:

The United Farmers of Alberta meet in convention at Edmonton on Wednesday and Thursday, January 19th and 20th, to elect officers for the central organization, and to discuss many important matters that affect their interests. Delegates will be present from all over the province, and the city of Edmonton has set apart a sum of money for the entertainment of the visitors.

Year by year these conventions are becoming of more importance, are more representative of the principal industry of the province, and act in the most felicitous manner in bringing together representative farmers from different districts to discuss problems that affect them in a local way and also to debate larger questions that affect each and every part of the whole of Alberta. It is expected that at least one hundred delegates will be present at this convention.

Probably the most prominent matter to be brought up this year will be the status of the live stock business, and efforts will be made to obtain more daylight upon this subject, and also to arrive at some comprehensive scheme that will aid in the betterment of the live stock industry.

Another very important matter to receive attention will be the future status of the elevator question. The grain growers as a body, are largely assuming the responsibility of inaugurating a new policy in regard to the elevator question, and after a very thorough study of the subject have submitted a proposition to the Manitoba government which has taken the necessary steps to meet them on the way.

It would seem that in the opinion of the farmers themselves the grain question is of paramount importance in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, and the live stock industry in Alberta. That is at the present time. The matter of co-operation will also most probably be fully gone into, as the results of the society organized at Red Deer are creating a good deal of interest.

There are certain changes in the constitution of the organization to be discussed at this meeting, as well as resolutions upon different topics to be brought in by various localities over the province. One intricate subject that will take a good deal of

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consideration is that of the local improvement districts, and measures to be carried out in regard to the making of good roads and the financing of the same.

Altogether it looks as if the convention had laid out sufficient work for two or three weeks of deliberation instead of two or three days, which is the time limit, but, no doubt, a good deal of preliminary work has been done at the local level. Yet still there is a good deal of ground to be covered at this meeting and a comparison of ideas from different localities has a modifying effect upon others.

The U. F. A., which is the outcome of the Union of the Society of Equity and the Alberta Farmers Association, is meeting this year for the second time, and as the years roll on these meetings will become more and more important as the strength of the organization increases and widens out the territory that it covers.

Alberta is in a somewhat different position to the sister provinces further east, which find their outlet further west, with open water ports the year round, so that efforts are being made to reach over into British Columbia and utilize all the available exits and channels of trade. This, in the way of marketing, somewhat complicates matters, but there is no reason why it should do so for long; so plans will no doubt be laid for the future of the province, in which case Alberta will occupy a commanding position among the provinces especially when we consider her natural motive power and huge supplies of fuel.

The interests of the farmers in these directions are in reality, and especially the interests of all Albertans so whatever the gain in these directions by the farmers is also a gain for all of us.

When the interests of all are cemented, viz.: the farmers and the inhabitants of cities and towns in Alberta, it means a stronger Alberta as a whole working along the same lines to prosperity. The more a house is divided against itself, the less progress does it make.

Therefore the deliberations of the farmers in our midst, which deliberations are public, should be followed closely and studied intelligently for mutual benefit and information.

Thus we welcome the farmer delegates to Edmonton where they can meet the government face to face and all can come into close connection with each other, and thus it seems as if the stones out of the road might impede the progress of the province.

The U. F. A. is now a large and representative body with definite ideas and aims, not organized for the purpose of pulling the hands of the clock back, but banded together in the interest of progress and prosperity, and therefore worthy of every consideration and respect.

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The money cost of a journey—long or short—by stage coach (not to count time or comfort) was greater than that of a present day journey by railway.

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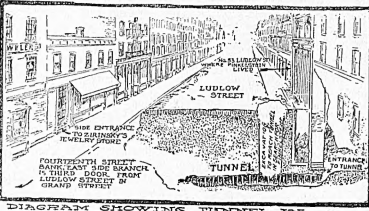
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TUNNEL SHOWING TUNNEL IN

Evidence of what the police believe to be a plot to loot a bank and jewelry store by means of an underground passage was discovered in a peculiar manner while laborers from the Buildings Department were digging in the basement of the tenement at No. 55 Ludlow street, New York, for the body of a man supposed to have been buried in a cave-in of earth.

Under a deposit of trash, orange boxes and woollen waste was found an aperture in the wall of the basement. Closer examination revealed a carefully constructed tunnel leading under the street in the direction of the jewelry store conducted by S. Zivinski on the opposite side. An arm of the tunnel, leading toward the east side branch of the Fourteenth Street Bank, two doors away from the jewelry store, was later revealed.

PROGRESS OF CONVENTION

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The University, that is a different problem and had not come before the old legislature or been discussed in any shape or form. He was surprised that the premier stated it had all been discussed and settled. "As it has never come up, I have not looked into it, but am not at all averse to taking

my share of responsibility. It looks to me, though not too familiar with the matter, that like the man from Missouri, you would have to "show me" that it was in the interest of either; that the University should have control of the Agricultural College. "The farmers should decide the question. University graduates, etc., decide their own questions and do not let anyone dictate to them, there-

fore why should not the farmers decide what concerns them. Your decision should be of great weight in this matter," said Mr. Boyle to the Association.

Visitors From East.

Mr. Crerar, president of the Grain Growers' Grain Co., gave a short talk of a practical nature. He stated it was a mistake to suppose that farmers further east were not in favor of the Western route, for other associations would co-operate most heartily in opening up these roads.

The important resolutions introduced here were much the same as those introduced in the Manitoba convention, and the same species of organization was necessary for all.

Mr. Green, the secretary of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association, is a clever speaker and is full of ideas. He is an authority on organization and strengthening the organizations.

The president's report was read and adopted, also the directors' report, legislative report and secretary's report, the latter showing that the association has a membership of 5,000. The auditor's report shows the association to be in good financial standing.

A Letter From the Y.W.C.A.

A letter was read from the secretary of the Y.W.C.A. expressing interest in the association and asking for its support in a good cause. The secretary was instructed to reply and congratulate the Y.W.C.A. upon the noble work it is doing. A subscription was taken up in the hall of over \$30 and forwarded to the Y.W.C.A.

Shipping Grain West.

Mr. Worsnop of Vancouver gave a very lucid account of shipping grain west, the possibilities of this route and the difficulties that have been encountered so far. He expresses the opinion that the route is not only feasible and possible, but it is only a question of terminals to handle the grain and better rates to the coast, and for goods coming back from the coast in the empty cars.

The meeting adjourned for supper. The credentials and resolutions committees reported at the evening session, and then there was a lengthy discussion in regard to amendments to the constitution, in which a great deal of valuable time was wasted that could have been better utilized.

In fact, the whole of the first day was not too well handled by the executive as regards the expedition of business.

At this morning's session of the convention, Dr. Tory, president of the University of Alberta, gave an address in which he fully explained the general university scheme of the province and discussed the relation of the Agricultural College to it.

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LIABILITIES

To the Public:	Dec. 31, 1908.	Dec. 31, 1909.
Deposits bearing interest	\$4,300,765.66	\$33,436,884.85
Deposits not bearing interest	13,090,564.60	16,955,939.07
Interest accrued on Deposits	51,530.33	54,863.16
Deposits by other Banks in Canada	133,102.61	344,597.23
Total Deposits	\$37,576,544.40	\$50,822,129.31
Notes of Bank in Circulation	3,556,434.65	4,579,678.65
Balances due to Agents in Great Britain	241,178.65	241,178.65
Balances due to Agents in Foreign Countries	560,818.84	215,724.26
Total	\$41,693,795.59	\$55,858,710.87
To the Shareholders:		
Capital Paid up	3,000,000.00	5,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	4,600,000.00	5,700,000.00
Dividend No. 85 (quarterly at 10 per cent.)	97,500.00	123,657.73
Dividend No. 86 (quarterly at 10 per cent.)	230.00	340.00
Former Dividends unclaimed	100,000.00	140,000.00
Rebate on Bills Discounted, not yet due	78,085.26	228,393.94
Balance of Profits carried forward	\$50,470,210.95	\$67,051,102.62

ASSETS

Gold and Silver Coin	\$3,221,717.14	\$3,560,347.62
Dominion Government Notes	3,760,344.35	4,093,532.25
Deposits with Government for Security of Note Circulation	150,000.00	200,000.00
Notes of and Cheques on other Banks	2,985,741.48	3,745,667.84
Balances due from other Banks in Canada	35,289.51	49,668.98
Balances due from Agents in Great Britain	37,958.60	49,668.98
Balances due from Agencies in Foreign Countries	896,657.36	753,327.69
Government and Municipal Securities	2,693,101.20	1,633,129.20
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	4,501,489.26	6,931,437.03
Call and Short Loans on Stocks and Bonds	3,286,141.39	5,638,399.62
Total	\$21,944,440.19	\$31,406,621.13
Loans to other Banks in Canada	496,248.15	371,921.44
Loans to Provincial Governments	107,656.95	157,951.17
Current Loans and Discounts	26,736,654.99	33,644,795.10
Overdue Debts (Loss Provided for)	34,775.38	25,657.09
Bank Premises	1,150,924.39	1,444,246.69
Total	\$50,470,210.95	\$67,051,102.62

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

By Net Profits for the Year, after Deducting Charges of Management, Accrued Interest on Deposits, full provision for all bad and doubtful debts, and rebate of interest on unmatured bills	\$838,306.51	\$916,991.77
Balance of Profit and Loss Account, December 31, 1908	78,685.26	
Total	\$916,991.77	
To Dividend (to per cent.)	453,597.83	
Transferred to Officers' Pension Fund	25,000.00	
Written off Bank Premises Account	200,000.00	
Balance of Profit and Loss Carried Forward	228,393.94	\$916,991.77
Average Paid-up Capital during 1909, \$4,636,000.		

EDSON L. PEASE,
General Manager.

Watch page 4 for Real Estate Snaps

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A BANK'S LINE OF CREDIT

Leads to Suit Against Former Manager of Manitoba Branch

Hamilton, Jan. 18.—An action has been brought by the Bank of Hamilton against William O. Jackson, former manager of the branch of the Bank of Hamilton at Minnedosa, Man. for \$2,000.00 on a guarantee.

The claim of the bank was that in the fall of 1907, on the approval of Mr. Jackson and the bank's solicitors at Minnedosa, the head office granted Mr. Jackson permission to extend a line of credit to a man named John Berry, amounting to \$4,000 against which the defendant was to acquire good collateral and maintain a margin of 25 per cent. The bank officials claimed that the defendant allowed John Berry to draw \$5,000.00, and secured that amount by a \$500 note only, and a \$1,000 endowment insurance policy on Berry's life, that did not mature for some years.

John Berry's standing was investigated at the bank, and about September 1, 1907, it was found so the plaintiff alleged, that he had obtained the credit from the bank by misrepresentation and fraud.

Berry was arrested and committed for trial on a criminal charge, was admitted to bail, and did not appear when called on, and according to the plaintiff, had absconded.

The defence of Jackson, who is at present manager of the Bank at Ripley, Ont., was that on the representation of H. F. Moulson, solicitor for the bank, he forwarded to the head office in this city an application for John Berry for a line of credit. Mr. Moulson told him he had drawn up a will for Berry, and was thoroughly satisfied of the value of Berry's securities. The head office granted a line of credit of \$4,000, and Berry drew about \$2,800 and made several small deposits. When it was learned that Berry was an imposter, Mr. Jackson called H. A. Aylwin, western solicitor of the bank, into the case, and Berry was arrested and taken to Winnipeg for trial.

Mr. Jackson claimed Aylwin told him he had rendered himself liable to prosecution on a criminal charge, that he would be prosecuted if he did not sign a guarantee to insure the bank against any loss. If he did sign the guarantee he would not be proceeded against.

As Jackson wanted to avoid prosecution on a criminal charge, on account of his wife and family, he signed the bond the inspector had drawn up on September 8, 1907, and subsequently assigned, making over to the bank certain securities. The securities were a twenty-year endowment policy on his life, maturing in 1911, amounting to \$1,000 and interest, "no-pay life" policy of \$1,000 and interest, and four shares of stock in the National Portland Cement Company, valued at \$400.

All these securities were still retained by the bank, and the defendant counter-claimed for the recovery of them and for the delivery to him of the guarantee bond.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS

Erroneous Impression as to Their Position Under License Bylaw

Ald. Millar rose in the council Tuesday evening to draw attention to an erroneous impression which is abroad as to a particular clause in the license bylaw. He said that from the wording of the clause the public take it to mean that commercial travellers in the ordinary sense of the term are to be required to pay a license of \$100 to do business in this city.

"Hotelkeepers are up in arms about it," said Ald. Millar, "and travellers threaten that they will stop in Strathcona and get Edmonton business men over there to look at their goods. I would like the public put right on this matter."

The preliminary note to the bylaw explains how the term is intended to be understood. It reads that "commercial travellers" shall apply to any person selling directly to the consumer goods, wares, merchandise or other effects of any kind whatsoever, or offering same for sale directly to the consumer, by sample card, specimen or otherwise for or on account of any merchant, manufacturer or other person not having his principal place of business in the city.

In the committee of the whole last evening it was decided that the term "Commercial traveller" should be changed, but another term has not as yet been chosen.

THE ROYAL BANK.

For a year in which most banks found it difficult to show anything like the profits that they had during the past few years, the statement of the Royal Bank of Canada, which is made public today, will attract immediate attention, very largely perhaps because after the somewhat unsatisfactory trade conditions that prevailed in the earlier part of the year, the bank was able to show an increase of nearly \$100,000 in its net profits, these amounting to \$838,306.51, which is equal to 18.68 per cent. on the average paid-up capital of the bank for the year, of \$4,463,800.

As indicating the rapid headway the Royal is making among the leading financial institutions, the total deposits at the close of the year shows an increase of 1908 to \$14,000,000, the deposits bearing interest standing at \$3,450,828 as against \$2,430,726 at the close of the previous year, being an increase of over \$1,000,000, while the deposits not bearing interest gained from \$13,000,266 in 1908 to \$10,549,273.07 at the close of the past fiscal year, or slightly over \$2,450,000.

Notwithstanding this very large gain, there was also a very marked increase in the percentage of quick assets, and these now amount to over 56 per cent. as compared with 52.67 per cent. at the close of their previous fiscal year.

The larger amount of money that the bank had had at its disposal has resulted in particularly large increases in its call loans on stocks and bonds, and this account now stands at \$9,583,300.62 as against \$3,864,141.29 at the end of the previous year, or an increase of well over \$6,000,000. At the same time there was a very substantial increase in the current loans, and these now stand at \$13,544,705.10 as compared with \$6,736,164.99.

During the year the bank also made an issue of stock, with the result that its paid-up capital now stands at \$5,000,000 as compared with \$3,000,000 at the end of 1908, while the reserve fund has gained to \$1,700,000 as against \$400,000 at the end of the previous year.

A complete statement of the bank's position with comparisons will be found elsewhere in this issue.

101ST REGIMENT, EDMONTON FUSILIERS.

Regimental Orders by Lieut.-Colonel Edwards, commanding the 101st Regt., Edmonton Fusiliers:

Headquarters, Edmonton, Jan. 17. 1. The class in signalling now being carried on will be continued on Wednesday evening of each week. All who wish to join the class must report to the sergeant-major not later than the 19th inst.

2. A class for non-commissioned officers and men wishing to qualify as sergeants and corporals, will be held on Thursday evening of each week under Sergeant Major Baty. All who wish to join the class are required to report on Thursday, the 20th inst., at 8 p.m. at the Separate School. Examinations will be held and certificates of qualification will be issued to those who pass the examination.

3. The Canadian Rifle League has established a series of competitions for gallery practice, miniature rifle, and sub-target gun. Four matches to be fired in the gallery practice, and each sub-target gun. Four matches to be fired in the gallery practice, one in each month, and five scores to be made in the sub-target series, between Feb. 15 and May 15. Prizes will be given. All members of the Regiment wishing to take part in these matches should report to Captain Reid at the Separate School on Thursday evening.

4. Captains of Companies are authorized to issue uniforms to N.C.O.'s and men attending the class.

By Order,
K. B. MacKenzie, Lieut.,
Acting Adjutant.

Wreath for Bride's Mother

News comes from Vienna of a new idea at weddings, the wearing of a wreath of roses by the mother of the bride. Upon arriving home after the ceremony the bride's mother removes her hat and puts on a half circle of roses composed of buds with silver petals and foliage. The report adds that mothers-in-law who have experimented with the wreath say it can be made for as little as \$10, and that it has great advantages, since it keeps the wearer unobtrusively to guests who are strangers to the family.

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Late Sporting News

(Continued from Page Three.)

A SUCCESSOR TO LONGBOAT

An "Injun" Named Levi Jamieson of Oshweken is Touted as a Wonder

When the entries were closing for the Herald race last fall there was one runner who impressed Billy Carroll as being out of the ordinary, and, although he did not manage to capture a trophy he showed good form, and Billy has not given up hopes of seeing him win the great race around the bay.

The runner is Levi Jamieson, an Indian from Oshweken, and during the race Tom Flanagan said that he showed all the earmarks of being a good man, and thought that he should be taken in hand and properly trained. Jamieson is not an Indian of the Tom Longboat type, but is much shorter than the rangy chap who won the race in 1906. It was lack of proper training that caused Jamieson to drop out of the Herald race, but he has all kinds of ambition and will compete at some of the other indoor meets this winter. In a letter to the sporting editor of the Herald he says that he is in good shape and is ready for a race at any distance from five to fifteen miles. He will compete in the three mile race at the International A. C. Games, although he thinks the distance is a little short for him. He will also run in the I.C.A.C. ten-mile race at Toronto next Friday.

VIKING WINS FROM IRMA

In a Friendly Game of Hockey Viking is the Victor by 4 to 1—C. Purvis is the Star

(Special to the Capital)

Viking, Alta., Jan. 18.—A friendly game of hockey was played on Viking rink today, between Irma and Viking, score ending 4 to 1 in favor of Viking. The line up was:

IRMA	Goal.	VIKING
C. Purvis	Bonnyman Point.
B. Armstrong	T. Fraser Cover-point.
G. Sawyer	G. McNaughton Rover.
T. O. Clarke	L. Havens Centre.
A. Harper	F. Peraton Right wing.
W. Stewart	C. Tovey Left wing.
W. Steele	A. B. Halstead Referee: J. Fortier.
Umpires: H. H. Kennedy and C. Councilman		

On account of visitors' short time of practice the play was cut down to twenty-five minute halves. The visitor were quite a surprise to local team and they have several good men. C. Purvis in goal was very effective and stopped many hot ones. Their rover and right wing also played a splendid game. The game was free from rough play only one man being on the fence, three minutes for minor offence. The home team showed improvement over last game with Tofield and should give a better account of themselves in the first league fixture at Tofield on January 26th. A ball is being held tonight in honor of the visitors.

Tigers Defeat L.H. Bunch.

Calgary Tigers defeated the Lacrosse-Hockey team at Sherman's Auditorium rink Monday night, and placed themselves at the head of the city league.

In the first half the game was not as good an exhibition of hockey as the previous games, and the loose work of the Lacrosse-Hockey boys gave the wearers of the black and yellow their opportunity to get a lead of four goals to one. The second half was productive of much better play and was easily Lacrosse-Hockey all the way through, the L.H. boys keeping the play in the Tiger territory nearly all the time and scoring two goals to the Tigers' one.

The teams lined up as follows:
Tigers—Goal, Powell; point, Gibson; cover, Melross; rover, White; centre, King; left, Lowes, right, Pinkham.
Lacrosse-Hockey—Goal, Laing; point, McLeod; cover, Guay; rover, Kent; centre, Rouleau, left, Bates; right, Doull.

The Young Gambler

I remember one handsome young fellow whom I used to meet occasionally on the staircase who captured my youthful fancy. I met him only at midday as he did not rise till late, and this fact, with a certain scrupulous elegance and neatness in his dress, ought to have made me suspect that he was a gambler. In my inexperience it only invested him with a certain romantic mystery.

One morning I was going out to my very early breakfast at a cheap Italian cafe on Long wharf I was surprised to find him also descending the staircase. He was scrupulously dressed even at that early hour, but I was struck by the fact that he was all in black and his slight figure, buttoned to the throat in a tightly-fitting frock coat, gave, I fancied, a singular melancholy to his pale southern face. Nevertheless, he greeted me with more than his usual serene cordiality, and I remember that he looked up with a half puzzled, half amused expression at the rosy morning sky as he walked a few steps with me down the deserted streets. I could not help saying that I was astonished to see him up so early, and he admitted that it was a break in his usual habits, but added, with a smiling significance, I afterwards remembered, that it was "an even chance if he ever did it again."

As we neared the street corner a man in a buggy drove up impatiently. In spite of the driver's evident haste my handsome acquaintance got in leisurely, and, lifting his glossy hat to me with a pleasant smile, was driven away. I have a lasting recollection of his face and figure as the buggy disappeared down the empty street. I never saw him again. It was not until a week later that I knew that an hour after he left me that morning he was lying dead in a little hollow behind the Mission Dolores, shot through the heart in a duel for which he had arisen so early.

—Bret Harte's "Under the Redwoods."

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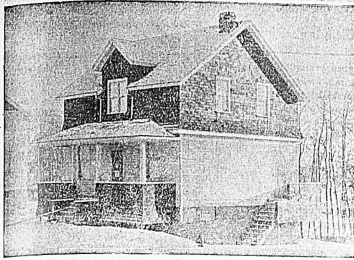
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DISAGREE WITH HEALTH OFFICER

The Commissioners and Dr. Whitelaw
Present their Cases to the
Council

MEAT INSPECTION MATTER

Lengthy Reports from Both Read—A
Special Committee will Make In-
vestigation

The question of meat inspection in the city of Edmonton was opened for discussion at the council meeting on Tuesday. A letter to the commissioners from Dr. Whitelaw, medical health officer, that an officer be appointed with the joint duties of meat, dairy and veterinary inspector and the report of the commissioners that such an arrangement was not feasible, formed the basis of the discussion.

The letter from Dr. Whitelaw to the commissioners is the one which did not appear before the council until Dr. Whitelaw stood up before the council at the previous meeting and requested that his recommendation be brought to the council instead of being "pigeon-holed."

Dr. Whitelaw's Letter.

The letter was read last evening, along with the commissioners' report, and read as follows:

Messrs. The Commissioners,

City of Edmonton:

Gentlemen—In view of the fact that a more efficient meat inspection in the city appears to have become a necessity, I beg to recommend for your consideration the following:

1. That a specially qualified meat inspector be engaged who is also a veterinary surgeon.
2. That this inspector, in addition to meat inspection, act as dairy inspector and take charge of all veterinary work in connection with the horses owned by the various city departments.
3. That his salary be fixed at from \$1,500 to \$2,000 per year.
4. That this inspector be engaged to devote his whole time to the city's interests.
5. That applications be requested for such position.

It would appear that a public abattoir will become an absolute necessity in the near future and would greatly lessen the difficulties of meat inspection.

At the present time the veterinary inspector receives \$1,200 per year for dairy work alone and a conservative estimate of veterinary expenses for city owned horses would be \$400 per year.

I may say that the present dairy inspector is performing the duties of his office in a very satisfactory manner, but it appears to me that greater economy and efficiency might be secured by combining as indicated above the various duties in one official who would devote his whole time to his work. I am, yours truly,

F. H. WHITELAW,
Medical Health Officer.

The commissioners' report shows that while recognizing that more efficient meat inspection in the city is desirable, they do not recommend that the present suggestion of the medical health officer be adopted. Meat value must be efficient. All authorities agree that efficient inspection cannot be made unless the head, heart, lungs, etc., etc., of the animal are seen by the inspector. There seems to be only one efficient method for having proper meat inspection which is to have all animals intended for consumption in the city slaughtered at a public abattoir or a private abattoir under municipal inspection. Under existing conditions the inspector would have to visit every slaughter house in the city and Strathcona whenever any animals were to be slaughtered. In the case of animals slaughtered by farmers the whole carcass including the head, heart, lungs, etc., would have to be brought into the city for inspection—a practical impossibility. To give any kind of inspection which would be at all efficient under existing conditions would take a good part of the time of an inspector.

The present dairy inspector is giving very satisfactory service. His work comprises:

- The inspection, etc., of dairies.
- The inspection of stables and cows in the city.
- The collection and examination of milk samples.
- The inspection covers forty dairies, with a total of 770 cows. They are inspected regularly every two months, about half being inspected each month. Besides these during the past year there have been thirteen applications for licenses covering 85 cows. These were inspected and some time given

for them to meet the requirements. There followed a cross fire of questions and answers between the medical health officer and Ald. Hyndman. The latter wished to know whether tubercular trouble existed among the cows which supply milk to Edmonton residents and whether the milk of a tubercular cow was tainted.

"There are as many healthy cows as human beings," replied the doctor. Dr. Whitelaw went further. He said that he knew cases of where diseased cows are brought in from the country by hucksters and sold to the consumer on the market square. He wanted such meat inspected and he also wanted the butcher shops inspected. The doctor proceeded to make some derogatory remarks about the commissioners when he was stopped by Ald. Hyndman, who succeeded in getting the matter referred to the special commissioner for a report.

"This is no place to continue this discussion," said Ald. Hyndman, "it should be done in committee."

SAD OUTLOOK FOR FAIR-HAIRE PEOPLE

Professor Gustaf Retzius of Stockholm, delivered the annual Huxley memorial lecture at the Royal Anthropological Institute in their own premises in Great Russell street, London, recently. He took for his subject The So-called North European Race of Man; a View of the Development of Some Anthropological Questions. After referring in detail to the recent progress of anthropology, and especially of craniology, he described investigations which had been organized by himself and carried out by a staff of scientists in Sweden, craniological and other examinations being made of some 50,000 recruits for the army. The result of these and other investigations was to satisfy him that the North European (Teutonic) type—blond, long-headed type—was preserved in Sweden to a greater extent than anywhere else, far more than in Germany, the ancient heritage of the Teutons, while as a result of his investigations of prehistoric crania he had arrived at the conclusion that the present population of Sweden preserved to all intents and purposes the

racial elements of the prehistoric inhabitants.

These results served as a support for the theory recently enunciated by K. Penka, and L. Wilson, which proclaimed Scandinavia and the region adjacent to the southern part of the Baltic as the original home of the Teutons or Germans, in opposition to the dogma, so long accepted as incontrovertible, that they, or rather the Aryans, had originated in Asia—the Indo-Germanic theory of the Philologists. In middle Europe the Teutonic had more and more been driven out by the fair-haired race. Lapouge, the French anthropologist, had characterized in a very trenchant manner the different characteristics of the two races. The North European race were adventurous and warlike. They knew better how to gain riches than to keep them. They oscillated between narrowness and brilliancy. The middle European race, on the other hand, were temperate, laborious, and economical, not wanting in cleverness, but seldom possessed of real talent. In politics they had but one ambition: to secure state support. (Laughter.) Professor Retzius was inclined to conclude that wherever the two races were both available it was the fair-haired, small statured race which were preponderantly employed in industrial occupations, and he feared that, just as in Central and Eastern Europe the Teutonic race had not been able to hold its own, so probably they would have to give place in North-western Europe also, and perhaps by degrees, disappear entirely out of the fatherland of their ancestors and themselves, by reason of the ever-increasing might and power of industrialism. The prospect was depressing, but the development of things in this world was not seldom harsh and unmerciful.

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About Town

The regular meeting of the Edmonton Public School Board will be held in the board rooms in the Mortlake Block this evening at eight o'clock.

While Railroad Surveyor McLean was putting up for the night at a point twelve miles north of Morinville on Wednesday, two youths of the district attempted the theft of some material belonging to the survey party, and a cheque for \$700. They will appear in the police court today for trial.

The regular meeting of the Edmonton Engineering Society will be held in the rooms of the Archibald Block this evening. John Chalmers, government engineer, will give an address on "Steel Railway and Highway Bridges of Alberta."

The opening performance of "Lady Huntworth's Experiment" takes place this evening at the Empire Theatre. The cast is word perfect in its lines and a splendid rendition of the piece is assured. Curtain rises promptly at 8:15 o'clock.

The pupils of the McKay Avenue School will give a concert tomorrow evening at eight o'clock in the assembly hall of the school. The proceeds will be given to the Cadet and Art funds. Admission for adults 25c; children 10c.

Norman K. Loxton, describing in the Toronto Globe the great national playground to be established 200 miles west of Edmonton on the G. T. P. to be known as Jasper Park, writes: "The modern hotel which will be erected in the park when the railway reaches there will be constructed either at Jasper House ruins or at Henry House, though, owing to the beautiful site available at the latter, it may be chosen. No matter which is chosen, however, it will be surrounded by interest and beauty."

The attention of the citizens is called to the fact that the annual meeting of the City Council will be held in the city council chamber on Monday next at 3:30 p.m. Will all those who wish to qualify for voting, and have not already paid the membership fee of \$5 or more, kindly forward the necessary fee to the secretary at the City Hall.

Logan's Employment Agency sent fifty men to Wolf Creek this morning to work for the May-Sharpe Construction Co. on bridge work. Another gang of forty men went west to the construction camps of Foley, Welsh and Stewart, and of the McLeod river. The gangs were divided into two, part going into the G.T.P. passenger car to Entwistle, and the rest taking a box car. Several refused to make the long trip in a box car and are remaining in the city today.

MAY ENLARGE CHURCH

Westminster Congregation Finds That it is in Need of More Room

The enlargement and remodeling of Westminster Presbyterian Church is likely to be added to the list of building activities to rattle coming summer. The matter was discussed at the annual congregational meeting last evening and referred to the Board of Managers for definite action, a report from the building fund committee showing that the proposed improvements, costing in the neighborhood of \$5,000, can be very satisfactorily financed. For some time past the seating capacity of Westminster Church has been seriously overtaxed and with the growing numbers of the congregation and the expected growth of the city within the next few years, some increase of church room is regarded as an immediate necessity. The congregational finances are in a healthy condition and the prevailing sentiment of the meeting last night was apparently that the time and opportunity for a much-needed extension had now arrived. Another meeting to finally decide the matter will be called shortly.

The other reports at the meeting last night showed that the past year had been the best in the history of the congregation. The membership of the church is 330. There had been raised for all purposes \$8,264, including \$2,812 for missions at home and abroad. Increases were reported in nearly every department and the various organizations of the church are in excellent working order. These include Men's Brotherhood, Young People's Societies, Boys' Club, Girls' Circles, Women's Societies, Bible Schools, and Chinese Classes.

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Personal

G. F. Chipman, T. A. Crerar and J. H. Julian, all of Winnipeg, are registered at the Alberta.

Robt. Spencer, of Canell and Spencer, has gone to Winnipeg for a few days on account of a family bereavement.

The engagement is announced of Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Education for Saskatchewan, who has many friends in Edmonton, to Miss Leslie, daughter of J. Leslie, manager of the Bank of Montreal, St. Mary's, Ontario.

Speaking before the Canadian Club, in Regina on Thursday last, P. J. Neill, K.C., of Calgary, ridiculed the suggestion of R. B. Bennett of Calgary, made recently in an eastern interview to the effect that the day might come when Alberta and Saskatchewan would secede from the Empire. "Mr. Bennett would not dare," said Mr. Neill, "to utter such sentiments at home. They could only be accounted for by the company Mr. Bennett keeps. The new provinces are British and would remain British, and Americans coming to settle in them had better understand that fact right away."

Yesterday afternoon the Ladies' Hospital Aid met at the residence of Mrs. Braithwaite to extend a welcome to the new superintendent of the Public Hospital, Miss Fairbairne, and present the retiring treasurer, Mrs. Braithwaite, with a slight token of their appreciation of her great services to the institution, in the shape of a handsome silver etched dish. After the serving of tea, Mrs. Murphy, the president of the Ladies' Hospital Aid, made a clever little speech voicing the feelings of the ladies present, and then made the presentation, which Mrs. Braithwaite accepted with her own becoming modesty.

S. S. CONVENTION.

At the session yesterday the First Baptist Church, Strathcona, of the Strathcona Electoral District Sunday School Association, branch addresses were delivered by Rev. J. M. Millar on "The Bible as a Human Book," and H. F. Kenney on the question of training teachers for service.

The afternoon session today will comprise addresses by Dr. Kenney on "The Intermediate Problem," and by Mr. E. L. Hill on "The Organized Adult Bible Class." Mr. G. W. Dale will also address the afternoon session on "The Opportunity of the Sunday School."

At the evening session Miss Wetherald will give a practical demonstration of teaching a primary class. This will be followed by the question drawer, an address by Mr. Kenney on "The Sunday School in Action," and an address by the superintendent, Batchard of Edmonton, president of the Alberta Sunday School Association.

Renfrew Defeats Les Canadiens.

Special to The Capital.

Renfrew, Jan. 20.—The game last evening here resulted in a victory for the home team over Les Canadiens of Montreal by a score of 9 to 4. The result was never in doubt, Renfrew looking like winners from the very beginning. This makes the first victory for Manager Martel's bunch of \$15,000 beauties.

Fined for Impersonation.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—Alfred Roberts, Joseph Couvillon and Mathias Couvillon, who pleaded guilty to impersonation in the recent municipal election, were each fined \$12 in police court yesterday. Alfred Rheum, charged with being the instigator, was acquitted.

Winnipeg Closing Prices.

Wheat, No. 1 northern, 103; No. 2, 100; No. 3, 98. Oats, 36½; Barley, 46½. Flax, no bids.

Winnipeg Futures: Wheat, January, 102½; May, 106½; July, 107½. Oats, January, 36½; May, 38½; July, 39½. Flax, January, 188; May, 195.

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Some of the prices of things advertised today carry persuasion.

UNIONISTS HAVE A NET GAIN

(Continued from Page One.)

ire Southeast (Eccles and West Houghton), Lancashire Southwest (Newton), Lincolnshire South and Scotland, Middlesex (Brentford), Somersetshire (Bridgewater), Staffordshire (Leek), Surrey (Epsom), Yorkshire (North Whitley), Yorkshire West (Colne Valley), Hallamshire and Doncaster. Scotland boroughs, Arr Burghs, Kilmally Burghs and Montrose Burghs. Scotland Counties, West Aberdeenshire, Berwickshire, Dumfriesshire, Peebles and Selkirk and Perthshire West.

Ireland, City of Londonderry and South Tyrone.

Goldwin Smith's Opinion.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Prof. Goldwin Smith, following the British election with the interest of one who has himself participated in the turmoil and strife of the old country. Interviewed today on the British situation he declared that there had been nothing to bring the country to such a pitch of excitement since the Home Rule fight in which he took an active part. The Liberals are secure, he declared, discussing the present budget fight. "With the Nationalist vote pledged they feel safe in the House. The Lords will have to pass the budget now. They may suggest something for the sake of saying something, but they will have to pass it, and there is no president in England to veto it. The King cannot veto. The reform of the Lords will follow."

Detailed Results.

Detailed results of yesterday's voting are as follows:

Newry (Creland), Mooney, Nationalist, 1,079; Cusack, Unionist, 542.

Flint (Wales), Summers, Liberal, 2,130; Tibby, Unionist, 1,723.

Glasgow (Bridgewater), Cleland, Liberal, 5,336; Lang, Unionist, 3,539.

Glasgow (College), Watt, Lib., 6,532; Maxwell, Unionist, 3,823.

Blackfriars, Barnes, Labor, 4,495; Constable, Unionist, 2,795.

Birkenhead—Vivian, Lib., 8,120; Bigland, Unionist, 7,976.

Lancashire Northeast (Acercington)—Baker, Lib., 8,968; Jessell, Unionist, 6,438.

Greenock, Scotland—Collins, Lib., 4,233; Smith, Unionist, 2,622.

Hawick—Burghs-Baron, Lib., 3,261; Graham, Unionist, 2,263.

Nottingham East—Morrison, Unionist, 5,877; Cotton, Lib., 5,725. Unionist gain.

Nottingham South—Bentinck, Unionist, 6,434; Richardson, Labor, 6,050. Unionist gain.

Yorkshire West Riding (Elland Division)—Trevelyan, Lib., 7,468; Ramsden, Unionist, 4,886.

Glasgow (Tradeston)—Corbett, Lib., 2,966; Main, Unionist, 2,773; Mason, Lib., 2,673.

Nottingham West—Yoxall, Lib., 8,953; Lyon, Unionist, 6,652.

Cardiff—Thomas, Lib., 13,207; Stuart, Unionist, 11,652.

Hackney Central—Spicer, Lib., 4,429; Cassel, Unionist, 3,853.

Glasgow Central—Scott Dixon, Unionist, 6,713; Munro, Lib., 6,058.

Carmarthen Burghs—Williams, Lib., 4,297; Tiverton, Unionist, 1,985.

Lancashire S. E. (Stretford)—Nuttall, Lib., 12,917; Samuel, Unionist, 10,626.

Middlesex (Horsney)—Rolandsy, Unionist, 12,014; Dummett, Lib., 8,632.

Lancaster S. E. (Middleton)—Adkins, Lib., 7,669; Ross Innes, Unionist, 6,266.

Glasgow (Camlachie)—McKintier, Unionist, 3,227; Cross, Lib., 2,703.

THE DAY IN STRATHCONA

Budget of News from the City on the South Bank of the River

Local and Personal.

Band at the rink tonight.

Miss S. Craig is improving gradually from her recent illness.

Mrs. J. Gainer is making rapid strides towards recovery.

The first issue of the University Magazine will be out about February 20th.

Dr. E. K. Broadus will deliver the lecture in the University Extension Series of lectures tonight.

The Sunday school convention meets this afternoon and evening in the Baptist church.

The University final examinations for the term will commence on January 24th and close February 1st.

The reports of the Stanley Cup game between the Edmonton and Ottawa will be announced at the rink tonight.

Mr. Farrel Scarlet has returned to the city after spending a month or six weeks in the east at his former home.

The council met at 10 a.m. and at 5 p.m. today for the purpose of settling finally the high level bridge agreement. The agreement was considered carefully and passed.

It is the opinion of many of the wise ones that during the next six months the city will experience a tide of prosperity unprecedented up to this time. There seems a certainty that the option on the McFadden farm will be taken up, and real estate is only beginning to move slowly but surely in many parts of the city. The greatest move so far is in the west end.

A certain amount of excitement was

Kessack, Laborite, 2,443. Unionist gain.

Glasgow (Strollow)—Wood, Lib., 10,019; Chamberlain, Unionist, 6,821.

Deptford—Bowerman, Laborite, 6,880; Coats, Unionist, 6,358.

Hackney South—Bottomley, Lib., 7,399; Wertheimer, Unionist, 4,304.

Hackney North—Greene, Unionist, 5,620; Hari-Davis, Lib., 4,773.

Middlesex (Ealing)—Neale, Unionist, 12,916; Hulbert, Lib., 8,210.

Yorkshire West Riding (Otley Division)—Duncan, Lib., 6,911; Thomson, Unionist, 5,010.

Egham Denbigh Burghs (Ormsby)—Gore, Unionist, 2,438; Edwards, Lib., 2,430. Unionist gain.

TOFEILD FARMER FOUND DEAD

Tofield, Jan. 18.—Last Friday Chas. Spilseen visited the shack of Alex Wood, where he had been ailing for a long time, and whom he had been caring for. He found Wood lying dead on his bed. Spilseen immediately notified Coroner Hammond of Tofield, who went out and brought the body in. The coroner held an autopsy and found the deceased had come to his death from cancer of the stomach.

occasional yesterday when a team of horses ran away on Whyte avenue. The horses became tangled up in the harness and one of them kicked the driver in the face. Fortunately his coat collar, being up, broke the force of the blow. Dr. May examined the unfortunate man but found that apart from his bruises he was not seriously hurt.

On account of the bonspiel in Calgary only a few games were played in the Lord Strathcona Cup competition. The scores were:

Supple 8; Downes 11.

Kelly 13; McDonald 9.

Marriott 8; Torgerson 9.

Walsh 11; McMahon 6.

Today's Games.

P. Bowen vs. McElroy.

Condon vs. A. McLean.

Davies vs. McMahon.

Weir vs. Torgerson.

AT THE COUNCIL.

Under the business at Tuesday council meeting Ald. Bush, of the public works department asked the council's opinion regarding the purchase of more gravel before the winter roads broke up. He reported that last year some 2,000 cubic yards of gravel were delivered on the city property by contract and that of this amount about 100 yards have been used. He thought that many of the idle teams about the city might be profitably employed in hauling the material now before the spring rush begins.

It was decided to have 1000 yards delivered at \$1.10 per yard and only teams within the city to be employed. The gravel this year will be stored on the market square south of Main street.

Ald. Richards wanted to know if the street railway department were to be allowed to pile the snow off their

tracks along the side of the rails and thus make traffic difficult. The city engineer reported that he understood that this matter would be remedied by the department very shortly.

The following tenders for the contract of numbering the houses in the city were submitted by the city engineer.

J. M. Eaton, Strathcona, 15c, for first numeral, 20c, for second and 25c, for three. This price to include attachment of numbers to houses.

David Huffman tendered for 45c per door.

E. L. Crumb offered to do the work for 40c for three numerals.

H. F. Fleming of Edmonton tendered for 30c for three figures.

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